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BETHEL, MAINE, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1913.

\$1.50 IN ADVANCE.

NEW PARCEL

POST RATES

After Jan. 1. Lknt in 1st. And 2nd. Zones is 50 Pounds.

Postmaster General Burleson's proposals to increase the weight limit of parcel post packages in the first and second zones from 20 to 30 pounds, to about books to the parcel post, and to reduce rates in the third, fourth, fifth and sixth zones, were approved recently by the interstate commerce commission. The maximum weight of parcels to all zones beyond the second was increased from 11 to 20 pounds.

The commission's "consent" to the proposed changes was transmitted in three letters from Chairman Clark to Postmaster General Burleson. The approved changes in rates and weights to be in effect Jan. 1, 1914, follow:

To reduce the rates for the third zone from seven cents for the first pound and five cents for each additional pound, to seven cents for the first pound and two cents for each additional pound.

To reduce the rates for the fourth zone from eight cents for the first pound and six cents for each additional pound, to seven cents for the first pound and four cents for each additional pound.

To reduce the rates for the fifth zone from nine cents for the first pound and seven cents for each additional pound, to eight cents for the first pound and six cents for each additional pound.

To reduce the rates for the sixth zone from ten cents for the first pound and nine cents for each additional pound, to nine cents for the first pound and eight cents for each additional pound.

It is provided by the postmaster general, with the consent of the commission, "that the rate of postage on parcels containing books weighing eight ounces or less shall be one cent for each two ounces or fractional part thereof, and on those weighing in excess of eight ounces, the zone parcel post rates shall apply."

This is to be effective March 14, 1914. Serious objections to the proposed change in the rates on books and catalogues were made, chiefly by carriers of heavy catalogues, but the commission says it feels that the change is in the interest of the public generally.

Consent was also given by the commission to the admission of shipments of gold, gold bullion and gold dust in Alaska and to and from Alaska in packages weighing not more than 11 pounds. The rate of postage is fixed at two cents an ounce or fraction thereof for all distances.

MAINE CLUB OF FLORIDA.

Forty-Three Former Dwellers in Pine Tree State, Now Residents of Tallahassee, Fla., Organize.

Former Maine people, now residents of Tallahassee, Fla., met recently and organized a Maine Club, the purpose being purely social, to enable those already there to become better acquainted and to afford an opportunity to newcomers to find an immediate place in the life of the rapidly increasing community. Those who enrolled are as follows:

J. Henry Small, Mrs. Hilda Small, Mrs. Ray Witham, L. H. Witham, Arthur L. Witham, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Witham, Leona H. Witham, J. H. Witham, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Arty, Fred J. Tucker and Burton M. Varney, formerly of Portland; Harry H. Smith, R. E. Smith, Miss Vera Anderson, Mrs. Minnie Weymouth, Edythe Weymouth, Dr. and Mrs. William P. Hutchins, Ruth D. Hutchins, Ernest Hall, Mrs. Luther B. Hall, Frank E. Hale, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holmden, John C. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson W. Smith, Mabel Hall and Oliver D. Smith, all of Caribou.

Charles A. Roberts, Dr. Harold P. Atwood and Ernest M. Atwood, formerly of Buckfield; Miss G. Mable Aubur, Ralph Aubur, Robert P. Margison and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mettee, formerly of Hallowell; Mr. and Mrs. L. Kinney, formerly of Ft. Fairfield; Mr. and Mrs. Dutton A. Smith, formerly of Bangor.

President of the club, Perry L. Mason and Dayton A. Merrill, vice presidents; Burton M. Varney, secretary; and G. W. Barker, treasurer.

WEDDING

Brown--Thurston

On Wednesday afternoon, December seventeenth, a small company of relatives and school friends gathered at the home of M. L. Thurston to witness the marriage of the younger daughter of the family, Miss Edith Annette Thurston, to Thomas I. Brown of Locke's Mills.

As the solemn tones of Mendelssohn's wedding march played by Mrs. Paul C. Thurston filled the room, the bride and groom descended the stairway and took their positions under an archway of green for the ceremony, a fine picture of youthful grace and beauty. Miss Sylvia Swan was bridesmaid and Delia Conroy, groomsmen. Miss Helen L. Stevens of Portland, a dainty little figure in white carried the rings. The bride wore a beautiful gown of white mesh with embroidered net draperies. She carried a bouquet of roses and the bridesmaid, carnations.

After the service and the usual words of congratulation, so old to the world but so new to the couple and so sincere to the speaker were said, refreshments were served in the dining room made especially attractive for the occasion by vines and evergreen appropriate for the Yuletide season.

Mr. Brown is the son of Mr. O. W. Brown of Locke's Mills and is a young man of much decision and energy. Mr. and Mrs. Brown are both graduates of Gould's Academy and are thus well known to the village people.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown left on the afternoon train for Richardson Pond, where Mr. Brown has a position for the winter as scaler. They went well laden with the good wishes of their acquaintances and with generous offerings of comfort of all colors presented at the last moment of their stay.

ANNUAL MEETING OF MAINE AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION.

The annual meeting of the Maine Automobile Association is to be held at the New Paltmouth Hotel, Portland, Monday evening, December 29, at 7:30 P. M. At this meeting the annual election of officers will take place and the annual reports will be read. These reports will show that, during the past year the organization has had a remarkable growth, and at the present time has 2500 members in good standing, representing every section of the State, one man and sometimes two and three having been kept at work throughout the year, preaching the doctrine of good roads, educating the people, and in other ways serving the best interests of the Association.

A touring information bureau has been located at Portland throughout the entire year, and has done a tremendous business. About 7,000 road books were published and sent free all over the country, calls for them having come from as far away as the Hawaiian Islands, Alaska and Europe. As a result of these, a vast amount of tourist business was brought into the State. During the past summer, of 10,000 of the Association obtained much additional data and a new road book will be printed early in the year, which will contain about three times as much material as that of 1913.

The Association has kept close track of the road situation in the State and has directed its efforts wholly to endeavoring to have work begun immediately by the State Highway Commission and to seeing that the State receives full value for every dollar expended in road construction and that new highway work, when begun, be carried on in every county in the State. Financially the Association will be shown to be in good condition notwithstanding the fact that thousands of dollars have been expended by it in promoting the good roads and summer tourist business in Maine.

The meeting will be held in the State of Maine room and is open to every member of the Association. It is expected that every section of Maine will be represented at the session.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bethel National Bank, held at Bethel, Maine, on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of January, 1914, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of any other business that may lawfully come before said meeting.

KILBURN C. PARK, Cashier.
Bethel, Maine, December 1st, 1913.

CHRISTMAS CONCERTS AT BETHEL CHURCHES.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

In the forenoon there was an appropriate sermon by the pastor, with music arranged specially for the occasion. The regular choir was assisted by Mrs. A. G. Wiley of Bar Mills, and by Miss Florence Carter of Bethel. There was a pleasing solo by Miss Mona Martyn.

At 7:30 in the evening in the church auditorium there was a Christmas concert under the auspices of the Sunday school. This concert was in charge of Mrs. P. L. Edwards. All the members of the school and several outside of it loyally aided in making the occasion a success. There was a good attendance. The concert opened with music by which the school and teachers marched from the chapel into the church, marshalled by Miss Marion Frost followed by her large class of little ones, the rest of the school coming after. The music comprised a pretty Christmas exercise with many recitations and emblem exercises by the different classes and members. The regular church choir took part and were assisted as in the morning by Miss Carter.

Following the opening music, there was a short responsive reading, and invocation. Then followed the address of welcome by Master Freeland Clark, a little tot who was one of the evening's stars and who did his part in a most captivating manner. Miss Dorothy Edwards captured the audience with her pleasing recitation given so pleasingly with her "Hollie" in her arms. Then followed the recitation, "Christmas Blessings" by the boys of Mrs. Burbank's class, and a recitation by Master Clarence Philbrook, by Miss Marjorie Farwell and by Margaret Vandenberg. The motion picture given by Misses Marjorie Farwell, Margaret Vandenberg and Florence Colburn and entitled "Snowflakes" was especially pleasing. Interspersed with the recitations was the singing of the different numbers of the regular exercise by the whole school. The recitation given by Florence Colburn was one of the especially pleasing things upon the program, and the recitation of four boys with emblems was another notable feature. One of the prettiest of the emblem exercises was the "Star Ray" participated in by a number of the younger boys and girls each holding aloft a pretty gift star. There was a primary song given by the members of the class of Miss Frost, and a pleasing solo by Master Harry Young. Excellent recitations were given by Miss Marion Hutchins, Miss Helen Clark and Miss Dorothy Hutchins, and one by the members of the class of Mrs. French. The final number was the closing song of the regular exercise. Much work was put into this concert by Mrs. Edwards and all the rest of the school and its marked success reflects much credit to those who so loyally assisted.

The regular organist, Mrs. Annie Wiley, presided at the organ during the concert and at the different rehearsals at the church.

RARE METALS.

The production of tungsten ore in the United States during 1912 was equivalent to about 1,330 short tons carrying 60 per cent. of tungsten trioxide, valued at \$302,158. The output for 1913 was larger than that for 1912, when 1,137 tons, valued at \$107,083 were produced. The total amount of tungsten produced in the world in 1912 was 9,115 short tons. Tungsten finds considerable use in the manufacture of incandescent lamps, which have now become common even on street and railway cars, where the tungsten is especially severe. An account of the tungsten industry in this and foreign countries is contained in an advance chapter from "Mineral Resources, 1912," on the production of cobalt, molybdenum, nickel, tantalum, tin, titanium, tungsten, uranium, and vanadium, just issued by the United States Geological Survey. The use of these metals has been found to be of great importance in the production of alloys and in the manufacture of electrical apparatus.

He who is false to present duty breaks a thread in life's loom.

METHODIST CHURCH.

The Christmas concert at the Methodist Church last Sunday evening was well attended and a success in every way. The boys and girls of the Sunday school gave a program of exercises and recitations at the first, which delighted the audience and revealed both the talent of the scholars and the tact and skill of the committee in charge. Mrs. Kendall, Mrs. Anna and Miss Arno. The program was as follows:

Voluntary Singing. Choir. Responsive Reading with Prayer. Singing, "Hush, Don't Tell." Recitation, Primary Class. Myrtle Wilson. Song, Light the Christmas Candles, Bernice Keddy, with exercises by Primary Class with candles. Recitation, "Jesus Blessing the Children," Edith Somerville. Exercise, "His name shall be called Jesus," Seven Girls. Exercise with dolls, Hilbert Keddy and Eunice Smith. Exercise, "Gifts," Four Boys. Exercise, "A Little Child Shall Lead Them," Seven Girls. Maud Verrill. Solo.

After this part of the program, the choir, assisted by Miss Wilson as reader, gave in story and song the history and the meaning of the first Christmas Day, thus completing an evening of special pleasure and inspiration.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

At the Congregational Church, Sunday morning the Christmas music was rendered by a fine chorus choir with a beautiful violin solo by Mr. William Blumhagen, Mrs. J. G. Gehring accompanying. The sermon was attuned to the Christmas spirit. At the Sunday school concert in the evening there was again the Christmas choir, Herrick's orchestra, an inspiring song by Mr. William J. Upson, a most appropriate duet by Misses Margaret and Blanche Herrick and a lot of fine work by the children.

The following program was enjoyed:

Processional.
Herrick's Orchestra.
Prayer.
Solo, Harold Taylor.
Choir.
Solo, Mr. Upson.
Exercises, Miss Whitmore's Class.
Singing, Primary Class.
Recitation, Isabella Johnson.
Exercise, Eight Little Girls.
Song, Miss Whitmore and Miss Purington's Classes.
Five Girls.
Exercise, Choir.
Choir.
Recitation, Rachel, Blanche and Margaret Herrick.
Exercise, Miss Purington's Class.
Choir.
Song, Miss Purington and Miss Whitmore's Classes.
Lucile Tyler.
Good Night, Orchestra.
Offertory.
Benediction.

The church was prettily decorated with flowers and evergreen and every one had a good time. The Sunday school wishes to thank those who helped make the concert a success by their music, decorations, and earnest efforts.

OSCAR G. MASON LOSES RIGHT HAND.

Throws It Into Flamer When He Slips On The Floor.

While at work in the factory of the Pacific Manufacturing Co., Saturday afternoon, Oscar G. Mason met with an accident which resulted in the loss of his right hand. He slipped on the floor, and throwing out his right hand in consequence, it was caught in one of the cutters of the four-sided planer from which he was taking away. The hand was taken off clean about the wrist joint, but it was necessary to amputate it at a point further up the arm.

Mr. Mason, who resides with the family of Frank W. Notlage, was taken to the hospital in the ambulance of his sister, Mrs. J. Hastings Bean, where he now resides. He is expected to be able to walk in a few days.

PETER CHASE FICKETT

Death Of Prominent West Paris Man

Peter Chase Fickett died early Saturday morning at his home in West Paris, after an illness from pneumonia of only three days duration. He was the son of Simon and Ruth (Chase) Fickett and was born in Woodstock, Nov. 9, 1834. He was educated in the public schools of Woodstock, Paris and at Kent's Hill Seminary. Mr. Fickett studied law at Cambridge, Mass. After graduating Mr. Fickett returned to Oxford County and became a member of Oxford Bar, practicing law at West Paris.

In 1861 he enlisted but was appointed enrolling officer before he was mustered into service.

In religion a Universalist, he was a regular attendant at the First Universalist Church, where a handsome memorial window is a visible testimony of his love for the church of his faith and is a suitable memorial to the honored family which he represented.

Mr. Fickett was always interested in town affairs. He was postmaster from June 1897 to 1909, retiring at the close of his third term. His commission was under the Republican administration. The party which he faithfully supported until the organization of the progressive party which he loved to be for the nation's good.

A strong believer in the brotherhood of man he was greatly interested in fraternities and was seldom absent from the lodge room, being a member of Oxford Royal Ark Chapter F. & A. M., Norway; Granite Lodge, F. & A. M.; Granite Chapter, O. E. S.; West Paris Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 120; Orono Rebekah Lodge, No. 120; West Paris Grange, West Paris Library Association, and West Paris Village Improvement Society. He was interested in every good thing for the upbuilding of the social life of the village.

During his term of service as postmaster he built the handsome brick post office building on Main street, which is a great convenience to the public and adds much to the appearance of the village.

Mr. Fickett never married but is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Betsey G. Curtis and Mrs. Julietta Curtis, with whom he lived.

The funeral was held Monday at 1:30 P. M. Rev. Dwight A. Hall officiated, passing high tribute to Mr. Fickett as a common friend, who was always the friend of not only the sick but the poor, to his humility who having ability, chose no special distinction to his place in the hearts of the people of his church, to his loyalty to his fraternalties and to everything with which he was connected. Granite Lodge, F. & A. M., performed the burial service, and the order to which he belonged, attended in a body. More than one hundred members of his fraternalties were in the line of march, that tenderly escorted the remains of one of West Paris' most loved and honored citizens to its last resting place in the family lot in West Paris cemetery. All places of business were closed during the service. There were beautiful flowers.

PROPOSE ELECTRIC ROAD ACROSS MAINE.

Perhaps the most gigantic proposal in electric railroad construction in the State of Maine for a long time, is manifest in the recent petition filed at the office of the Board of Railroad Commissioners by the Quebec railroad. The petition requests the approval of the board to the construction of a line of electric railway across the Northern portion of the State of Maine.

The Quebec Railway Co., recently organized under the laws of the State, has plans for the construction of an electric line, from the east to the west border of the State. This line leads through the wildest part of the Maine wilderness, crossing the Allagash region, where the most expert engineers will be needed.

In detail, the line starts in the town of Washburn from a point on the Acadia Valley Railroad, which it is intended to be practically the same company. Through Washburn to Wadsworth, through Wadsworth to Hallowell, by a general direction, to the western boundary of the State, reaching that boundary about 150 miles, perhaps a little more, above Bangor.

It will be constructed partly in the streets and partly as private property. Approximately 111 miles will be constructed through the wilderness, touch-

WANT COLUMN.

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FOR RENT.

In Bethel Village a story and half house with stable connected. Hot and cold water, electric lights, coal furnace, garden and pasture. Inquire at CITIZEN OFFICE, Bethel, Maine.

MEN WANTED—to learn the auto business in our garage and prepare to fill positions driving and repairing. Write at once stating age. MAINE AUTO CO., Taylor St. Garage, Portland, Me. 12-11-2m.

NOTICE—TO AUTOMOBILE OWNERS.

Vulcanize your own tires on the road in ten minutes for 3 cents; no need of an extra tire or going to the garage, weighs only one and a half pounds, greatest invention ever gotten out. Catalogue and prices on request. R. C. LAWRENCE, Bethel, Maine.

Distributor for Maine. 11-20-2m-p.

WANTED—30 live rabbits every week for the next four months. W. L. CHAPMAN, Bethel, Me. 12-18-3t-p.

NOTICE.

All persons in the town of Bethel, Hanover, Mason and Oilead who use M. Granite Chapter, O. E. S.; West Paris Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 120; Orono Rebekah Lodge, No. 120; West Paris Grange, West Paris Library Association, and West Paris Village Improvement Society. He was interested in every good thing for the upbuilding of the social life of the village.

FOR SALE:—At a bargain. A real stove in good condition. Inquire of L. A. HALL, Bethel, Me.

LOST:—A sum of money in Bethel Village on Tuesday, Dec. 23rd. Will the finder please return to ABNER KIMBALL, R. F. D. 3, Bethel, Me.

FOR SALE:—Two bull calves, grandsons of Colantha Johanna Lodi; large, well marked and vigorous, five and seven months old. Price \$10 f. o. b. CHAS. A. SOULE, So. Freeport, Me. 12-25-1t.

WANTED:—A woman for general housework in a small family. Inquire at CITIZEN OFFICE, Bethel, Me. 12-23-3t-p.

ing here and there small plantations villages or other small towns. The lowest estimate of the proposition is \$3,000,000, approximately, and that makes the cost, approximately, per mile, more than \$31,500. The magnitude of the plan is manifest in the above figures. The road will no doubt be of steam road construction.

Following the line of the proposed road, by an imaginary line into the Canadian territory at both ends, it forms almost a direct line between St. Johns and Quebec. While these are not known to be the objective points of the company, without doubt the ultimate finish of the proposed line will see these two Canadian cities united by such a line.

A line of this sort will cause the elimination of such a roundabout way of reaching one of these cities from the other. By looking at the map the course can easily be traced, and the course of the present railroad—steam—which follows the St. John river around the border of Maine, as can be seen, causes quite a detour. The direct line across northern Maine will greatly shorten the distance, providing, of course, this is the object of the company.

A WHITE CHRISTMAS

AFTER ALL.

The largest snow storm of the season came Tuesday night, with a fall of about fifteen inches.

PNEUMATICS STOP YOUR PAIN. It breaks up your cold in one hour. It's marvelous. Applied externally. All druggists.

Ladies' Suits Half Price

You cannot afford to let such reductions escape you.

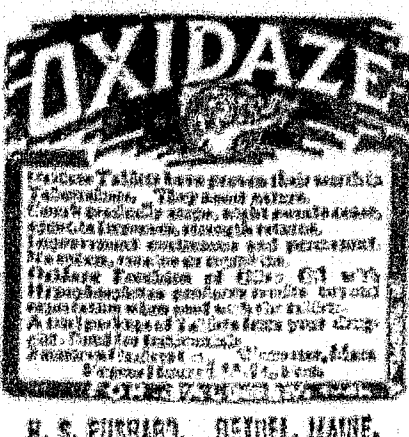
\$25 Suits 12.50	\$16.50 Suits 8.25
\$20 Suits 10.00	\$15.00 Suits 7.50
\$18 Suits 9.00	\$12.50 Suits 6.25

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The constantly itching, burning and stinging and other disagreeable forms of eczema, tetter, salt rheum and skin eruptions, which are so common, and which are so annoying, can be cured by Dr. Hobson's Ointment. It is a powerful, yet gentle, and perfectly safe remedy, and it is the only one that will cure the most stubborn cases. It is the only one that will cure the most stubborn cases. It is the only one that will cure the most stubborn cases.

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BETHEL AND VICINITY.

We wish you all a Merry Christmas.

Mr. Arthur Bunting was in town Monday.

Miss Florence Carter was in Portland, Saturday.

Dr. A. G. Wiley was at his home in Bar Mills last week.

Mrs. Martha Bartlett was in Portland one day last week.

Mr. Gayton Parker called on his uncle, H. H. Anas, Saturday.

Mrs. F. E. Purington spent the week end with her sister in Yarmouth.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Harry Jordan, Tuesday, Dec. 30.

Miss Mary B. Merrill is visiting relatives and friends in Portland.

J. H. Little attends the Knight Templar service at Norway, Christmas Day.

Mrs. Susan Perkins was a guest of Mrs. J. C. Billings the first of the week.

Mrs. Jack Carter and Miss Susan King are home from Boston for the holidays.

Correspondence cards and note papers for a knowledge of these Christmas gifts, at King's.

Mrs. Annie Pulkkinen is spending the Christmas holidays at her home in West Falm.

Mrs. Marion Herrick returned from Boston, Tuesday, where she has been visiting friends.

Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. Ida Hazelton and Master Charles Hazelton were in Norway, Monday.

Dr. H. H. Wright attended the Sam Adams Medical meeting and banquet in Portland, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stevens visited relatives in Portland last Thursday.

Mr. Howard Hall of West one cottage is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hall.

Mr. Harold Volante of Dartmouth College is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Volante.

Mr. and Mrs. Loring Trask and child from West Falm called on Mr. Trask's mother, Mrs. Abbie Trask, Monday.

Mrs. Alta Smith and Miss Mollie Smith are home from Farmington Normal school for the Christmas vacation.

Mrs. Edna Smith, who is teaching at Bethel, N. H., is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edna Smith.

Mrs. Martha Robinson went to Augusta the first of the week, where she will spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. G. A. Robinson.

Mrs. J. M. Frost of Auburn will be present at the Methodist church next Tuesday evening to assist in the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the birth of George Washington.

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The Ladies' Club will be omitted this week.

Mr. Edgar Coolidge and son were in town, Saturday.

Mr. Fred Tibbette was in Portland one day last week.

Mrs. Frank Flint was in Portland one day last week.

Rev. J. H. Little will preach at Mason next Sunday at 2.30 P. M.

Mr. Albert Silver spent Sunday with his parents on Mason street.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hanson were in Augusta and Lewiston last week.

There will be a special meeting of the Grange, Saturday evening, Dec. 27.

Miss Arlene Saunders is spending her vacation in Portland with her parents.

The next attraction after Christmas trees will be the Firemen's Ball on Jan. 1.

Mrs. T. C. Chapman and son, Raymond, were in Norway the first of the week.

Miss Ruth Farrington of Locke's Mills is calling on relatives and friends in town.

Dr. and Mrs. I. H. Wright and daughter, Vicina, were in Portland, Friday and Saturday.

Miss Anna Martyn is spending the Christmas holidays with friends in Providence, R. I.

Miss Emma Parlin is spending her Christmas vacation with her mother, Mrs. Angie Parlin.

Miss Blanche Richardson is home from Gordon Normal School for the Christmas recess.

Miss Alice Cross of Locke's Mills was the guest of friends in town the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Stearns of South Paris will spend Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. E. C. Park.

Behind merchants should be complete for their New Year's display and attractive arrangement of Christmas goods.

Mrs. Herbert Young and son, Harold, are spending the Christmas holidays in Portland with her husband and other relatives.

Mrs. Grace and Daisy Dixon will leave for Augusta, Thursday, after spending a few weeks with their aunt, Mrs. J. T. Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Carlson of Norchester, Mass., are spending the holidays with Mrs. Carlson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Tuell.

Mr. Charles Tuell, who is attending Westworth Institute in Boston, is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Tuell.

Mrs. P. H. Robinson has received a letter from her sister, Mrs. Alice Henson, who has been very ill in California. Mrs. Henson will be accompanied by the mother of Hellen Hall several weeks ago.

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WILSON'S MILLS.

School commenced Dec. 15, Frank Smith teacher. Joseph Hart carries the school from the hill district and street front from the lower part of the town.

First snow was down from Big Brook last week and covered the hill of the town.

L. Wilson has been working with the town for P. C. Hiley at Auburn, Mass.

The new boat belonging to the Bethel Mills Co., has been on the road for the past week, it made but slow progress, although it was hauled by twelve horses. A bridge of logs was built across the river, just below the big bridge to take it over on, and after reaching Hart hill it was blocked the rest of the way to Auburn Dam. That is to be used in the spring to tow logs across the new lake.

Mrs. Adeline Landon is on the sick list. Dr. Hayes of Colchester was in to see her Friday.

The Messrs. Carl and Pearl Bennett were week end guests of H. B. Bennett.

The following officers were elected for 1914 for the Grange: Master, W. H. Hart; Overseer, Axel Wilson; Secretary, H. B. Bennett; Steward, Harry Hart; Asst. Steward, Alfred Hart; Chaplain, Leslie Bennett; Treasurer, H. B. Bennett; Secretary, Calvin Fox; Gate Keeper, Leon Bennett; Ceres, Mrs. W. H. Hart; Pomona, Mrs. C. T. Fox; Flora, Mrs. Bertha Wilson; Lark, Asst. Steward, Mrs. Hattie Bennett.

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GILEAD.

Mr. W. C. Newell, who has been at teaching State Grange at Bangor is returned home last Friday.

The Mountain View Grange, No. 11, has elected the following officers: Master, W. C. Newell; Overseer, H. B. Bennett; Secretary, A. A. Newell; Chaplain, Mrs. A. D. Wright; Steward, Mrs. A. D. Wright; Ceres, Mrs. W. C. Newell; Pomona, Mrs. Eva Deacon; Flora, Mrs. A. T. Wright; Lark, Mrs. E. A. Wright; Asst. Steward, Mrs. E. A. Wright.

There will be a special meeting of the Grange on the evening of Dec. 30.

Mr. A. M. Carter and nephew, Harry Carter of Berlin, N. H., were in town recently.

Mr. H. E. Wheeler and wife were in town last Wednesday.

Mr. H. L. Melcher, Jr., of Bethel was in town last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hight were in town last Monday.

Mr. Martin V. D. Watson met with a serious accident last Monday afternoon while loading hay. Dr. May's of Auburn, N. H., was called to attend to the injuries.

Mrs. A. B. Bryant was in town last Monday.

Self is the only prison that can bind the soul—Henry Van Dyke.

To The Auto Owners of Bethel and Vicinity.

If your car is in need of overhauling, or any repairs before the coming season, we would respectfully suggest that you bring it in as early as possible, as we are in position to give the same first class attention during the winter months, before the rush is on in the Spring.

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Pleasant Reveries
Dedicated to Those
as they Join
Circle at Event

Joyous may your Christmas

A happy, happy Christmas

Be yours today!

Oh, not the falling me

Of fleeting earthly

But Christmas joy abides

While years are swiftly

By yours, I pray,

Through Him who

mas Day!

There's sweetness in

Of bygone happy

Their memory this

Is welcome as are

How to spend

Forget Yourself for

to Make Ours

A day off, a few

relatives and friends

is that all that

to you? Surely you

is an occasion for

THE HOME CIRCLE.

Pleasant Reveries—A Column
Dedicated to Tired Mothers
as they Join the Home
Circle at Evening Tide.

Joyous may your Christmas be.
A happy, happy Christmas
Be yours today!
Oh, not the falling measure
Of fleeting earthly pleasure,
But Christmas joy abiding,
While years are swiftly gliding,
Be yours, I pray,
Through Him who gave us Christ-
mas Day!

There's sweetness in remembrance
Of bygone happy hours,
Their memory this glad yuletide
Is welcome as are flowers.

HOW TO SPEND CHRISTMAS.
Forget Yourself for the Day and Try
to Make Others Happy.

A day off, a few remembrances from
relatives and friends and a good din-
ner—is that all that Christmas means
to you? Surely you are going to make
it an occasion for more than usual re-
joicing this year, a real old fashioned
Christmas. Surely you are going to be
more liberal in spirit than ever before
and scatter merriment on all sides.
Have you been a little selfish, have you
devoted so much time to enjoying your-
self that you have forgotten other
folks?

Those you have forgotten are good
folks, aren't they, the best folks in
the world! And you are just going
to show them how appreciative you
are. You don't like this modern way
of turning dear old Christmas into an
occasion for trading and exchanging
gifts. You are going to see all the
friends you can on that day and shake
hands with as many, pat them on the
back and tell them how glad you are
to be with them. And to those you
cannot see you are going to write
cheery, warm hearted letters and tell
them you want to hear from them of-
ten. Isn't that how you feel about
the greatest of all birthdays?

MESSAGE OF CHRISTMAS BELLS.
A Great Change is Coming—World-
Christmas for Mankind.

Hear, oh, hear! The Christmas bells
are ringing loud upon peal, shine upon
valley! Full and clear they ring, and
the air quivers with joy. What is the
hardest of their music as it floats far
and wide? Awake! Awake! It says,
A great change is coming—peace upon
earth good will to all men.

The bells and I are strong with a
new hope, vibrant with expectancy of
this great change. Already men and
women are working and thinking and
living for this great change, and their
efforts are mighty with the might of
intelligence and good will. For them
the bells of a world Christmas are
ringing, and shall not cease with the
brief hours of one glad day. Every
day, every year these men and women
plan, work and dream, and their work
is the heavenly message of the sweet-
tongued bells!

Hear, oh, hear the bells. For ages
our Christmas bells have rung their
message of peace upon earth and good
will to all men. For ages they have
summoned a sleeping world to a new
life, a new ideal, a new joy. But too
often they have sounded in ears seal-
ed with ignorance. Too often has their
glad news passed unheeded.

Now, here and now, the bells and I
will be heard! Not once a year, but
from morning to morning we will be
heard singing exultant, sure of our
message. Let the sun pour its flood
of light upon the land, or let the
whole sky be dark, we will send our
song up and down and all around, our
song of the great change. Too long
have men turned their faces from their
tasks, from the deeds of the common
day and fixed their eyes upon a better
life some time, somewhere. Too long
have they dreamed of a distant life,
instead of bringing that life into their
earthly days. The great change others
a true religion into the world, new and
better—service for all men equally, de-
votion of each to the good of all alike.

Hear! Today the bells and I call
you to the Christmas of mankind. For
it has begun, and we shall not falter
nor turn back until every man and
woman and child in this land and in
every land has a chance to live hap-
pily and to develop his mind and do
the best of which he is capable. Gen-
eration after generation has learned
from its mothers' lips the story of the
birth of Christ, and slowly the world
have been flowers—and the fruit is
the great change. The great change
is the new faith, the new effort, to
secure for every man his full share of
the sun, the comfort, the health,
the knowledge, the virtue, which he
deserves—new better in the
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AIGRETTES FORMERLY WORTH MORE THAN THEIR WEIGHT IN GOLD NOW GOING OUT OF FASHION.

All signs indicate that, at last, American women of fashion are giving up the real egrettes composed of the feathers of the egret. These beautiful white plumes, worth their weight in gold only a year ago, are now seen on the headgear of maidservants, cooks and colored girls. This indicates that the mistresses are passing them on. States have legislated against their use, moving picture shows have shown the killing of the parent birds with young left starving in the nests, Audubon Societies have sent out tons of literature regarding the threatened extermination of the species, the government has forbidden the importation of their plumage and now even the importers have practically given up dealing in the feathers. Cheap imitations are taking their place on every hand, and at last it seems possible to save the beautiful birds from extinction.

Last spring, I stated in these columns that the repulsive and horrible slaughter of wild birds for the plumage must stop. Already two great steps in this direction have been taken. Australia and the United States have prohibited the importation of the feathers of wild birds. Other nations will follow their example. If we are to stop forever the extermination of wild birds for their plumage, every civilized country must forbid importation and, eventually, every State must forbid sale or possession of the plumage of wild birds except for scientific or educational purposes.

There are many women still who will wear feathers, careless of how they are obtained, careless of what laws are broken to secure them or what species are exterminated. It is now so well known that wild birds' plumage, used for millinery purposes, is taken mainly by killing the birds in the breeding season when the plumage is at its best and when the death of each pair of birds means also the destruction of their eggs or the lingering death of their young, that no one has the excuse of ignorance except when deceived by dealers. This sometimes happens. It has been given out that the so-called "mumidi" feathers now so popular, come from Africa where the birds that bear them are domesticated like the common hen. In reality, these feathers come from three closely allied pheasants, chief of which is the Manchurian. The long feathers, used for millinery purposes, grow over the tail of the bird, forming a vane somewhat like that of the peacock but very light in color. These feathers are dyed, bent, made up and sold as "mumidi." The pheasants that bear them are natives of Eastern Asia where they are rapidly being exterminated for the feather trade and will soon be swept from the face of the earth unless the trade in their feathers can be stopped.

As it is now illegal to import these or the feathers of any other wild bird into the United States, why do we see such a remarkable display of them on the headgear of the women whom we meet? This is the result of two causes: first, ignorance or carelessness on the part of the women, and second, an attempt on the part of the importers to get rid of the stock they have on hand. Some of the dealers, being warned in advance that the plumage trade, prohibiting the importation of the plumage of wild birds, would be passed by Congress, imported all the feathers they could buy while the "buying was good." A dealer told a government official last August that he should have row every dollar he could and invest it all in paradise feathers, pending the rise in price that was sure to come when the feathers could no longer be legally imported. It remains to be seen whether the demand will increase now that the feathers cannot longer be legally obtained and whether prices, sufficient to warrant the risk of smuggling, will be paid by misguided women.

EDWARD HOWE FORBUSH.

WHAT WAS LACKING.

Bridge—Two years ago I could have bought that valuable piece of prop-

erty for a song.

Bridge—And you couldn't stop, eh?

Bridge—Oh, I could stop, but I couldn't get the right notes.—Boston Transcript.

WILL IT PAY?

Many farmers are just now asking themselves the question, "Will it pay me to take one or more of the Short Courses in Agriculture to be given at the College of Agriculture this Winter?"

The writer has never asked this question of a person who has taken one of the short courses, who has not answered with, "Yes, it will pay not only in dollars and cents, but in satisfaction."

Four separate courses will be given: General Agriculture and Dairying beginning January 5, and continuing four weeks; Horticulture and Poultry Management beginning February 2 and running for three weeks.

These courses are run for the benefit of those who cannot take the more extended courses and yet who desire to secure information concerning modern, up-to-date agriculture. No tuition of any kind is charged, the only expenses being, railroad fare, room and board. The expenses for room and board amount to about \$1.50 per week. The expense is therefore small, but what is gained in return?

In General Agriculture the following subjects are studied: farm crops, soil fertility, plant nutrition, farm buildings and equipment, farm management, and such special subjects as types, breeds, diseases, feeding and care of horses, cattle, sheep, swine and poultry. In Dairying the subjects studied are: dairy cattle (breeds, breeding, feeding and management), animal nutrition, animal diseases, stock judging, testing milk, running separators and butter making.

The course in Horticulture gives opportunity for studying commercial orcharding, orchard renovation, fruit handling, small fruits, market gardening, insect pests and fungus diseases.

Poultry Management takes up types and breeds, breeding, incubation, brooding, feeding, diseases, judging, ducks and geese, handling and marketing eggs and fowl, nutrition, soil, crops and drainage as related to the poultry business, also the housing of poultry.

These subjects are taught both by the class room and actual practice methods. The courses are planned to be intensely practical and to give in the short time allowed a large amount of information concerning modern, up-to-date farming.

A circular giving full information has been issued and can be secured by writing the College of Agriculture, University of Maine, Orono.

Will it pay? Yes, many times over. The lady who won the "Sweepstakes" prize at the Dairy Conference held at Lewiston during the first of the present month, took the short course in Dairying at the College of Agriculture last January. The short course long since passed the experimental stage. It has proved its value during the past twelve years in this state. The expense is small but the returns are large. It is given at a time of year when the farm or can best leave home. Ask for catalog.

ALBANY.

Arthur Andrews has been backing some of his dry wood to Bethel for the past few weeks.

W. B. Cummings and wife attended the State Grange last week.

Raymond Cummings is at home cutting wood for his father.

Ernest Paine is soon to move to Backfield, where he has lived out for a year.

Mrs. Lizzie Merrill, who has been helping Mrs. Mary Andrews, has returned home.

Mrs. Nina Dean, who is teaching in New Hampshire, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Dean.

Gathering brown-tail moth nests seems to be the business of the day in this vicinity at present. They are very plenty this year. A few years ago we used to count them by the number of bushels.

Mr. Leslie Cummings will soon move into Mr. E. T. Jackson's house and expects to work for Mr. Isaac Merrill in the new town.

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CANTON

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Disher attended State Grange at Bangor last week.

Mrs. D. A. Fletcher has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Minnie Packard, of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard House and family of No. Turner have been guests of his sister, Mrs. G. F. Towle.

George Smith is visiting at Readfield.

Miss Ethel Russell, who teaches at Auburn, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Russell.

Mrs. Cordelia Robinson of Auburn is visiting Mrs. Mary A. Robinson of High street.

At Hebron, Thursday, Dec. 18, at high noon took place the marriage of Rev. Charles Lafayette Snow of Hopkinton, N. H., and Miss Julia Rebecca Jones of Canton. The ceremony was performed at the Hebron parsonage, Rev. Dr. Herbert Tilden the Baptist pastor, and Rev. Eugene S. Philbrook, pastor of the Baptist church at Sanford officiating, the single ring service being used. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Jones of Canton and one of the town's estimable ladies. She is a graduate of Canton High school, class of 1909, and a member of the Baptist church at Sanford. The bridegroom is a native of Nova Scotia, he is a graduate of Mount Hermon Academy of Massachusetts and of Colby college, receiving second oratorical honors at Colby. He is also a graduate of the Baptist Divinity school and is now located as pastor of the Baptist church at Hopkinton, N. H. The bride was becomingly gowned in cream white and her traveling dress was olive green with hat to match. The bridal couple left on the afternoon train for a short wedding trip to Massachusetts before going to their home in Hopkinton, N. H. They were the recipients of many nice gifts.

At a meeting of John A. Hodge Relief Corps, Tuesday of last week they entertained the State President, Mrs. Elsie Alexander of Brunswick. The work of the order was exemplified for her inspection. Other visitors present were Mrs. Inez Leavitt, Mrs. Fannie Monroe and Mrs. Gilman Rose of Nelson Corps of Turner. At this meeting eight members of John A. Hodge Relief Corps joined the order as honorary members. A delicious dinner was served, the veterans being guests.

Miss Lila Gilbert will spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gilbert.

Harris Jones is working this week on the mail train between Bangor and Portland as assistant mail clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Tucker returned Saturday from Bangor, where they have been attending the State Grange.

Relatives have received word of the illness of Mrs. Elizabeth Hadley of Marblehead, Mass.

Mrs. Chas. E. Richardson was at Bangor, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Reynolds, Mrs. F. K. Hollis and Miss Maud Ellis attended the funeral services of a relative, Carlos Kempton, at Turner last week. H. Frank Richardson conveyed the party by auto.

The Canton stores are in their holiday attire and Christmas trade is brisk. The village schools closed last Friday for the holidays.

A family Christmas tree will be held at the home of M. J. Howe, Thursday evening.

Asia F. Hayford has had a telephone installed in his residence.

Frank Whittier is visiting Mrs. Lucy A. Davis.

Harris Jones attended the wedding of his sister, Julia, at Hebron, Thursday.

Ned Russell has returned to Massachusetts.

Miss Eleanor Westgate is recovering from her recent illness.

Miss Mabel Davis of Biddeford is visiting at the home of Milford A. Waite and family.

Geo. Lacroix is home for a two weeks vacation.

NORTHWEST BETHEL.

Misses Grace and Lucy Eagle were in Portland, Saturday.

Mr. Henry Bennett was at home, Sunday.

Mr. Adeline Brown is at home for the holidays.

Mr. George Mason has purchased a thoroughlybred Shropshire ram.

Edward and Harrie Brown are sawing pulp wood for W. C. Chapman.

Miss Virginia Brown has returned from Massachusetts, where she has been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Mabel Carpenter is spending the Christmas holidays with her father, Mr. A. Brown.

Miss Mildred Eagle is teaching the Flat school. She boards with Mrs. Helen Tyler.

The ferry boat has been taken out. The ferry boat has been taken out. The ferry boat has been taken out.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl L. Brown are spending over the birth of a son, Robert Mason, born Thursday, December 18th.

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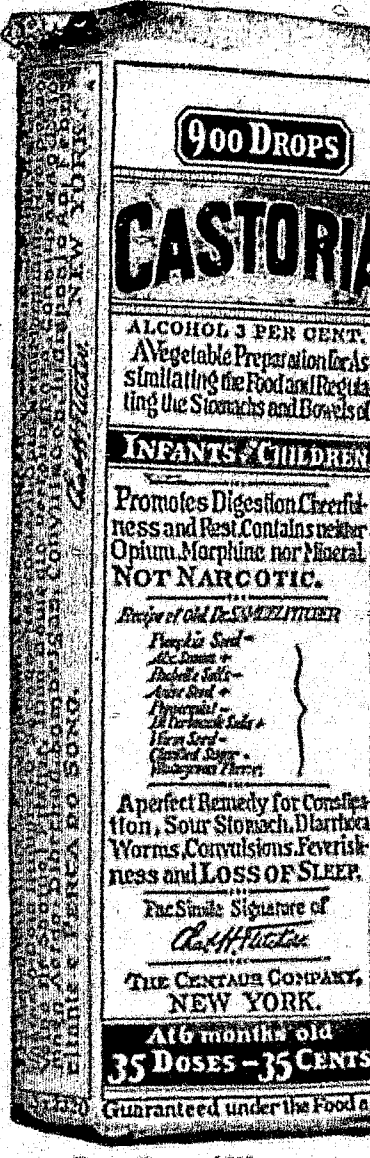
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SOUTH WOODSTOCK.

There will be a Christmas tree at the M. E. Church, Thursday night. There will be an Old Folks hall at Davis hall, Jan. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heedrickson and two daughters, Myrtle and Mary, spent the week end with their sister, Mrs. Frank Perkins, of Andover.

Jessie Andrews and son, Stanley, spent several days with her father, Bert Jackson, of Snow Falls, recently.

James Brown of Lewiston has been a recent guest of his daughter, Mrs. Mary Andrews.

Pearl Farrington was in Norway recently on business.

A. M. Andrews was in Berlin, N. H., Friday, on business.

I. F. Andrews of New Gloucester spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Mary Andrews.

Kate Cash is at work for W. P. Andrews.

Mrs. Rebecca Benson has moved to the house with Percy Wilson.

Mr. Sanborn is very ill at this writing.

Gertrude Andrews spent the day Friday with her daughter, Mrs. Roy Titus of Bryant's Pond.

Elmer Hammond has gone away for the winter.

Elwin Russell is on the sick list.

Kate Cash and Mrs. Ethel Wood and two children, Bert and Virgil Wood, spent a day recently with Mrs. John Butterfield of North Paris.

O. L. Peabody and two daughters called on his mother, Mrs. S. H. Wood, recently.

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Bethel, leave	7:45	8:15	8:15	8:15
Orono, leave	8:00	8:30	8:30	8:30
West Bethel, leave	8:15	8:45	8:45	8:45
BETHEL, arrive	8:30	9:00	9:00	9:00
Locke's Mills, leave	8:45	9:15	9:15	9:15
Weymouth, leave	9:00	9:30	9:30	9:30
Weymouth, arrive	9:15	9:45	9:45	9:45
Portland, leave	9:30	10:00	10:00	10:00

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In Effect Sept. 28, 1913.

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land and Boston.

Trains Arrive Portland
8:45 a. m. from Orono and Bethel.
11:45 a. m. 4:15 p. m. from Bethel.
Portland, Lewiston, Sundays at 11:55
a. m. from Portland and Lewiston.
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General Passenger Agent.
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Portland, Maine.

PNEUMONIA
Left me with a frightful cough and
very weak. I had spent when I could
hardly breathe or speak for 10 to 20
minutes. My doctor could not help
me, but I was completely cured by
DR. KING'S
New Discovery
MRS. J. E. COE, JEFFERSON, N. H.
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THE WAY IT FEELS.

"Here's something queer," said the
doctor. "You say the tooth has
never been worked on before, but I
find small masses of gold on my
teeth."

"I think you must have changed my
tooth some time," replied the
man. "Philadelphia Ledger."

POEMS WORTH READING

THE HOUSE SANTA FORGOT.

It was on a Christmas morning,
Our hearts were filled with cheer,
For many the loving tokens,
From our friends both far and near.
When a sturdy little fellow
Came smiling to my door:
I gave him a Christmas greeting,
His face I'd not seen before:
Well, what did Christmas bring you
this year?

In kindly tones I said:
With the smile upon his face,
He drops the early word,
"To our house 'Christmas' did not
come!"

What do you mean to say,
That this Santa Claus, forget you,
That he did not come your way?
"No he never came to our house!"
The eyes shone through a tear.

The smile still lingered on his lips,
His voice had a ring of cheer—
Now a braver little fellow
It's not my lot to see,
The quivering of his little chin.

Made the story plain to us:
How would you like to play Santa,
Dear little friend of mine?
"I would," quickly came the answer,
And his eyes so brightly shone:

"Santa had failed to see,
And with a 'thank you' he was gone,
But the memory lives with me.
Miss Anna Kate Kendrick.

THE BEST GIFT.

Joyous Christmas is drawing near,
We need no dates to know,
For everyone is happy and glad;
Do you know what makes them so?

It's the Christ love in each heart,
For His birth brought joy and love.
At this time our hearts are filled
With kindness and love from above.

As we think of the wonderful gift
Our Father sent us, His Son,
In praise and gratitude we wish
To send gifts to our friends, every-
one.

Sometimes we make us a cloud
In the sky so peaceful and blue,
By fretting because our dimes are few,
There's so much we'd like to do.

We'd like to give costly gifts
To the friends we love so dear;
We think of what we can't afford
Till we're and and lose our cheer.

Let's recall the sweet old story,
His gifts neither silver nor gold.
His life, so pure and simple,
With love for us unfold.

Oh! Let us not the joy of the season,
Only seek for His spirit of love,
Peace on earth, good will to men,
The angels sing from above.

With peace and good will in our hearts,
Some life will surely be blest.
Send and let a message of love
For all gifts, love is the best.

Our Christmas will then be merry;
And when we think of His birth
We will love one another better,
For He brought peace and good will
to the earth.

Mrs. Abel Andrews.
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SANTA CLAUS AND THE MOUSE.

One Christmas Eve, when Santa Claus
Came to a certain house,
To fill the children's stockings there,
He found a little mouse.

"A Merry Christmas, little friend,"
Said Santa, good and kind.
"The same to you, sir," said the
mouse.

"I thought you wouldn't mind
If I should stay awake to night
And watch you for awhile,"
"You're very welcome, little mouse,"
Said Santa with a smile.

And then he filled the stockings up
Before the mouse could wink—
From the top, from top to toe,
There wasn't left a clink.

"Now they won't hold another thing,"
Said Santa Claus, with pride.
A twinkling came to mouse's eyes,
But humbly he replied:

"It's not polite to contradict—
Your pardon I implore—
But in the future stockings there
I could put one thing more."

"Oh, ho!" laughed Santa. "Only
mouse!"
"You'll know how to pack it
With things stockings all these years,
I should have named the sack."

And then the mouse and Santa Claus
From where it hung he light,
And said: "Now get in one thing
more!"
I give you leave to try."



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and flaky and perfectly di-
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and whatever you are baking.
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loaves to the sack.

Your grocer keeps William
Tell. Insist on it next time
you order flour.

WAYS TO DESTROY BROWN TAIL MOTHS.

Entomological Expert Tells of Haves
Caused by Insects and Suggests
Remedy.

In a recent address H. H. Seigler of
the U. S. Bureau of Entomology, Wash-
ington, D. C., gave a talk upon insects
with special reference to the brown-
tail moth, in which he said:

"The fruit crops of the United
States are estimated at about \$30,000,
000 a year and of this amount about
one-fifth is lost through insect depre-
dations. From this you will appreciate
the annual tax which insects levy
upon the fruit industry. Insects are
not only abundant, but they are
extremely voracious. Many caterpillars
eat their food to the amount of twice
their weight per day. We might par-
allel this with an ordinary horse con-
suming a ton of feed every 24 hours.

Not only do insects destroy the farmer's
crops, but they act as agents for the
dissemination of various diseases.
This line of work is now being actively
investigated, since its importance is
realized today as never before. The
common house fly is well known as the
typhoid fly, while the mosquitoes which
carry malarial germs are likewise re-
ceiving attention. Numerous examples
might be mentioned.

"The brown tail moth is an old
European insect and was probably in-
troduced into Massachusetts about
1890, although it was not scientifically
recognized until 1907. Since the date
of its introduction it has spread to
many parts of New England, owing to
the fact that the moths are strong
fliers. The moths are white and may
be readily distinguished by means of
their characteristic brown tail. In or-
der to know when to spray for insects
the life history should be known. In
this vicinity the moths are usually fly-
ing during the latter part of July, de-
pending upon the climate conditions.

When they find a suitable host plant
they deposit their eggs, usually upon
the under sides of the leaves near the
tips of the shoots. Apple and pear
trees are especially susceptible to the
visit of the brown tail moths. These
eggs are laid in masses which contain
nearly 200 to 400 eggs and the entire
mass is covered by the brown hairs
from the abdomen of the female moth.

These eggs hatch in 15 to 20 days. Up-
on hatching, the young caterpillars us-
ually commence feeding upon the up-
per side of the leaf. Therefore if a
poison is already upon the leaf they
will have it for their first meal. Owing
to their small size they will soon
die and hence by spraying about Aug.
1st the pest is eradicated. They con-
tinue to feed more or less, if the trees
are not sprayed, until cold weather ar-
rives, although they are not feeding ex-
tensively more than a month after
hatching. As cold weather approaches
they draw several leaves together,
forming the snug brown tail nests in
which they pass the winter.

"As Spring approaches, the cater-
pillars become active. As soon as the
tips of the swelling buds appear the
caterpillars commence their devasta-
tion. When the pest is abundant the
new leaves are often devoured as soon
as they appear. The fruit blossoms are
also attacked. During the latter part
of June or early July, in this section,
the caterpillars cease feeding, burrow
themselves in a loosely-constructed co-
coon and transform into the moths.

"Early in the morning, usually about
8 o'clock, the moths begin to fly. They
will be sprayed Aug. 1, since it is too
near harvesting time, but the brown-
tail moth may be controlled upon the
late varieties by a spray application
during the first week in August. A re-
sult of last year should be noted at
this time.

"The rate of three or four quarts to one
gallon of water, or the powdered prepa-
ration of lead at the strength of one
and one-half to two pounds to 50 gal-

LOOKER'S MILLS.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bartlett of Lew-
iston were guests of their uncle and
aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bartlett, the
week end.

Miss Mary Dresser and Eva Fiske
were in Portland, shopping, Saturday.
Edgar Crocker of South Paris is
spending Christmas week at Mr. and
Mrs. Charles Farrington's.

Arthur Stowell has been playing with
the minstrel show of Bryant's Pond
at Hallowville Falls and Norway.

Mrs. Helen Bryant is visiting friends
in town for a few days.

Mrs. Arthur Stowell was calling on
friends in Norway, Tuesday.

Mrs. O. W. Brown and daughter,
Alice, attended the wedding of her
son at Bethel, Wednesday.

Chris Bryant and daughter, Blanche,
were in Norway, Saturday.

Asie Wing of Norway called on
friends, Sunday.

Mrs. Abbie Tracy, Mrs. L. C. Whit-
man and Mrs. C. H. Bartlett attended
the all day meeting of Franklin Grange
at Bryant's Pond, Saturday.

EAST BETHEL.

Judge G. P. Rich and family of Ber-
lin, N. H., were Sunday guests of Mr.
and Mrs. A. M. Bean.

Miss Eva Bean is at home from Col-
lege for Christmas and a two
weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Aoverna Lapham of
West Paris were recent guests of Mr.
and Mrs. Geo. Haines.

Miss Elsie Bartlett has closed her
school at Hallowville and returned home.
She visited Portland, Saturday to do
shopping.

Mrs. Elsie Bean went to Portland,
Tuesday. She will return to Norway
for the winter.

Mr. Frank Bean and friend, Mr.
Goodman, were week end guests of Mr.
and Mrs. A. M. Bean.

NORTH NEWRY.

Preparations are being made by the
teacher, Emma Thornton and her pupils
for an entertainment and tree at Kil-
gore's hall, Christmas eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Cook and
daughter, Ruth, went to Hallowville,
Sunday.

Irving Thompson of Hallowville passed
through town, Sunday, on his way to
Grafton, where he is logging.

Henry Goodwin carried a party to
Hallowville in his auto, Wednesday.
F. P. Flint and wife also Mrs. H. A.
Lambert were in Bethel last week.
Mae Bennett is working at Henry
Lambert's.

Mrs. Emery is caring for Mrs. Leona
and little daughter.
Merton Kilgore and wife were at
Bethel doing Christmas shopping, Fri-
day.

Miss Carrie Wright, who has been
quite ill, is much better at this writing.

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can you get at a moderate price the all-wool, all-shrunk fabric that
gives iron-like wear. This winter Kirschbaum Suits and Overcoats
are the handsomest we've seen for several years.

We guarantee to fit you perfectly or we do not want you
to buy our clothes.

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NORWAY Blue Stores. SOUTH PARIS

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OUR PAPER

By J. E. J.

There has been so
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National Capital, who
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and revenue stamps, to
all about.

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WHO ARE THE CARABAO?

A Glimpse Into the Club Which Has Ruffled the President's Tie.

By F. N. Vandenberg in Boston Transcript.

Had anybody prophesied a dozen years ago that the Order of the Carabao would ever get into hot water through friction with the national administration, that man would have been laughed out of court. The Order of the Carabao was organized in pure fun and the highest of high spirits. After Dewey had gone into Manila and destroyed the Spanish fleet, not without a moment of painful suspense, little caraboes by the ponds at home, there came a period of awkward waiting for the army. When at last the army arrived and the dissidents came to realize that the real war was at hand, a pleasant little arrangement was agreed upon to save the throne of Spain to the little king who has grown into a pathetic and galling figure. It was agreed between Dewey and the Carabao that the Carabao should make a solemn but harmless demonstration, that the latter should reply in like fashion, and that after little while of night, save association, the place should be surrendered.

Potatoes Again!

All happened according to agreement. Manila fell, and the American army and navy found themselves side by side after their first cooperation in hostilities since the close of the Civil War. Naturally the two arms of the service fraternized about and about. The navy folk told about the German Admiral Dietrich's potatoes, sent by mistake to an American man-of-war, and forwarded with a polite note, in spite of the fact that a very different kind of message had recently passed from Dewey to the Dutchman. Of course the army had no such rare tales to tell at the navy, but the two arms of the service celebrated the occasion at many a convivial meeting.

The Carabao's Incredible Habit.

At one such bout the formalities of a commemorative order was launched. The Carabao is the water buffalo of Manila and the whole East, a useful beast of burden, much employed in the Philippine cities and highways. He is

the most docile creature living, but he has one incurable habit, as soon as thirst seizes him he drops all other random considerations and stakes last thirst. The water buffalo hitched to a cart on a lively Philippine highway, standing at once in his stall or drinking the plough in front of a half-asked native and only to feel the imperious call of his thirst to leave all else and make for the nearest wallow. Go he will, and chains cannot hold him back, prayers and entreaties avail naught to turn him aside. He plunges into his wallow, wets his hide, drinks his fill and comes forth in due time refreshed for his labors.

A Youthful Wag's Waggonishness.

Some youthful wag of one service or the other saw in the water buffalo of impetuous thirst the prototype of the army and navy in the Philippines. The new order was organized then and there, and it was named in honor of the Carabao because an impetuous thirst had been humorously recognized as the distinguished trait of those who were to constitute the membership. No organization was ever formed with lighter hearts or less thought of grave consequences. One who joined it and still belongs to it, by the way, a total abstemious, and like a good many naval officers, on friend of war. He took his fall with the rest at Manila, and wrote home to speak with steeled disgust of the horror wrought by our guns.

No doubt the army and navy abound in men who would like to see a fight, and no doubt a conspicuously pacific Secretary of State seems like fair game to the wits of the joint service, but on the whole, the Order of the Carabao is hardly a conspiracy against the peace and dignity of the United States or of other nations.

Initiating the Tolson.

Once a year the Order of the Carabao has its "wallow" at Washington, and all Carabaoes who can, initiate their totos and such to quench their thirst. Dewey is there, and so are many of the men who went in with him at Manila, while not a few of the army officers who have seen service in the islands are in or near the capital. Initiations to the wallow are much covered and those who get them understand that a prompt acceptance or declination is even more than usually exigent. The wallow, however, is not so wet as its name might indicate, and members of the order after the affair is over are usually quite able to hold aloft the gold-headed "swagger stick" which is their badge of membership.

BRIGHT OR LAZY?

"Johnny, I don't believe you've studied your geography." "No, mum; I heard you say the map of the world was changing every day. An' I thought I'd wait a few years 'til things got settled."—Brooklyn Life.

COLLECTOR'S ADVERTISEMENT OF SALE OF LANDS OF NON-RESIDENT OWNERS.

STATE OF MAINE.

Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the Town of Bethel, in the County of Oxford, for the year 1912.

The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the Town of Bethel, for the year 1912, committed to me for collection for said Town on the 21st day of May 1913, remains unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes with interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold without further notice at public auction at the Hotel Hall in said Town, on the first Monday in February, 1914, at nine o'clock A. M.

Name of Owner	Description of Property	Amt. tax	Charges
Benn, Rita M.	West 1/2 of Island No. 1.	\$4.00	\$2.00
Melcher, Fetteburgh & Medinger.	The O. P. Ross Farm, Mendon, Lot 20, Range 2, 40 acres.	\$3.50	\$2.00
	The Russell Pasture, 27-7, 34 acres.	\$3.70	\$2.00
Robertson, Edward S.	Old Homestead on Paradise street.	\$1.40	\$2.00
Swan, Marcus L.	Old Homestead.	\$2.00	\$2.00
Swett, Joel P.	Old Homestead Lot.	\$3.00	\$2.00
	The H. R. Mason land at W. Bethel.	\$2.00	\$2.00
	The Goodwin land east of Pleasant River, 1.13	\$2.00	\$2.00
	The H. J. Bell land.	\$2.25	\$2.00

December 16, 1913.

FRED B. HOWE,
Collector of Taxes of the Town of Bethel.

COLLECTOR'S ADVERTISEMENT OF SALE OF LANDS OF NON-RESIDENT OWNERS.

STATE OF MAINE.

Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the Bethel Village Corporation in the Town of Bethel, in the County of Oxford, for the year 1912.

The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the Bethel Village Corporation, for the year 1912, committed to me for collection for said Corporation on the 21st day of May 1913, remains unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes with interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold without further notice at public auction at the Corporation Building in said Corporation, on the first Monday in February, 1914, at nine o'clock A. M.

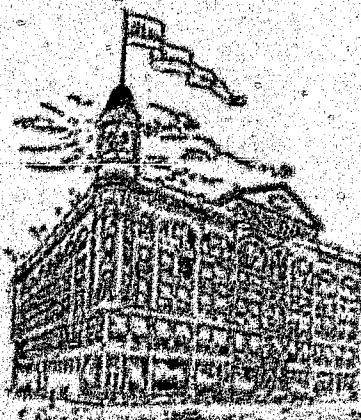
Name of Owner	Description of Property	Amt. tax	Charges
Edw. Robertson.	Stand on Paradise street.	\$2.00	\$2.00
M. H. Swan.	Homestead.	\$2.00	\$2.00

December 16, 1913.

F. N. RICHMOND,
Collector of Taxes of the Bethel Village Corporation.

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PORTLAND, MAINE.

TOO SUDDEN.

"Sammy," said his mean uncle, "how would you feel if I were to give you a penny for your Christmas?" "I think," said Sammy, "that I should feel a little faint at first, but I'd try to get over it."

THE FAMILY JAR.

"The body of the late Major Jinks was cremated." "What they going to do with it?" "His widow has him corked up in a fruit jar. Says it's the last of the family jar."—Atlantic Constitution.

COLLECTOR'S ADVERTISEMENT OF SALE OF LANDS OF RESIDENT OWNERS.

STATE OF MAINE.

Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the Town of Bethel, in the County of Oxford, for the year 1912.

The following list of taxes on real estate of resident owners in the Town of Bethel, for the year 1912, committed to me for collection for said Town on the 21st day of May 1913, remains unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes with interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold without further notice at public auction at the Hotel Hall in said Town, on the first Monday in February, 1914, at nine o'clock A. M.

Name of Owner	Description of Property	Amt. tax	Charges
Bethel Mfg. Co.	Factory.	\$95.00	\$1.00
	Finishing Building.	\$25.00	1.00
	East 1/2 of 20-9-40.	\$7.00	1.00
	Common land on Henry line.	\$3.00	1.00
Bennett, Mrs. Ada.	Homestead.	\$3.00	1.00
Cookman, Archie G.	Homestead farm.	\$8.00	1.00
Emery, Walter G.	Homestead farm.	\$5.00	1.00
	Cedar Lot.	.50	1.00
Mason, Selk L.	Homestead farm.	\$17.00	1.00
Mason, George W.	Homestead farm.	\$1.00	1.00
	Part of Island No. 1.	4.75	1.00
Reife, Philip.	Homestead at West Bethel.	\$2.00	1.00
Yashaw, Thomas W.	Homestead farm.	\$11.00	1.00
	Field of G. D. Morrill.	\$2.00	1.00
Yashaw, Harry P.	Homestead farm.	\$2.00	1.00

December 16, 1913.

FRED B. HOWE,
Collector of Taxes of the Town of Bethel.

COLLECTOR'S ADVERTISEMENT OF SALE OF LANDS OF NON-RESIDENT OWNERS.

STATE OF MAINE.

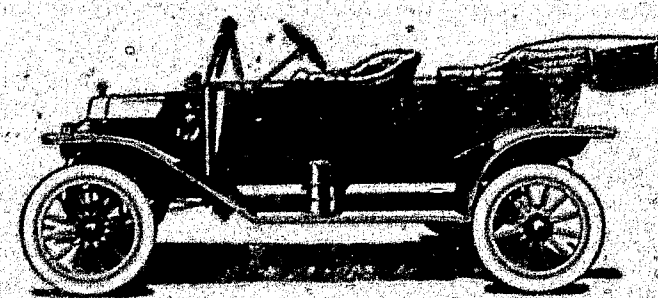
Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the Town of Albany, in the County of Oxford, for the year 1912.

The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the Town of Albany, for the year 1912, committed to me for collection for said Town on the 21st day of May 1913, remains unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes with interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold without further notice at public auction at the Town House in said Town, on the first Monday in February, 1914, at nine o'clock A. M.

Name of Owner	Description of Property	Amt. tax	Charges
R. K. Bartlett.	Lot 10, Range 11, 100 acres.	\$3.00	\$2.00
H. L. Johnson & Yell.	Lot 1, Range 1, 100 acres.	\$2.00	\$2.00

December 16, 1913.

GEORGE GUERINON,
Collector of Taxes of the Town of Albany.



You are invited to call and examine the 1914 Model Ford Touring Car which we have just received.

Price \$574, delivered at Bethel, fully equipped.

HERRICK BROS. GARAGE,
Opposite Station, Bethel, Maine.

MAINE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

As authorized and directed by Chapter 119 of the Public Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 140 of the Public Laws of 1912, I, John A. Roberts, Commissioner of Agriculture, hereby make the following rules and regulations and standards for carrying out the provisions of the law regulating the sale of agricultural seed, commercial feeding stuffs, commercial fertilizers, drugs, foods, fungicides and insecticides, as specified below.

For agricultural seeds as fixed in publication 430 of the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station, entitled "Requirements under the law regulating the sale of agricultural seeds."

For commercial feeding stuffs as fixed in publication 360 of the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station, entitled "Requirements under the law regulating the sale of feeding stuffs."

For commercial fertilizers as fixed in publication 422 of the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station, entitled "Requirements under the law regulating the sale of commercial fertilizers," and in circular entitled "Lime, Manure and Wood Ashes to be sold in Maine."

For drugs as fixed in publication 424 of the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station, entitled "Requirements under

the law regulating the sale of drugs." For foods as fixed in publication 425 of the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station, entitled "Requirements under the law regulating the sale of food." For fungicides and insecticides as fixed in publication 423 of the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station, entitled "Requirements under the law regulating the sale of fungicides and insecticides," and in circular entitled "Free registration of certain fungicides and insecticides."

These rules and regulations will be in force commencing January 1st, 1914. Copies of rules and regulations can be obtained at this office.

JOHN A. ROBERTS,
Commissioner of Agriculture.

When Teacher asked where it was signed—

The glorious Declaration, It mortified her sore to find Her small girls shockingly behind In proper information. Cried she: "Why, every boy knows well!

To shame you girls completely, The youngest in the class shall tell Where was it signed? Come, Tommy, spell!"

"At the bottom," said Tommy sweetly. —Mary Gordon Foster.

COLLECTOR'S ADVERTISEMENT OF SALE OF LANDS OF NON-RESIDENT OWNERS.

STATE OF MAINE.

Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the Town of Greenwood, in the County of Oxford, for the year 1912.

The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the Town of Greenwood, for the year 1912, committed to me for collection for said Town on the 21st day of May 1913, remains unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes with interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold without further notice at public auction at the Hotel Hall in said Town, on the first Monday in February, 1914, at nine o'clock A. M.

Name of Owner	Description of Property	Amt. tax	Charges
Musell, Woodbury.	Mesler & Haskell's Grant, Lot 5, 2 acres.	\$1.70	\$2.00
Swan, Ferdinand.	Mesler & Haskell's Grant, Lot 2, 19 acres.	2.55	2.00
Hailey, Alice.	Middle part of P. A. Grant, 11-8-30.	2.55	2.00
Emmons, L. P.	That part of Lot 6, Range 7, lying N. & W. of river.	12.00	2.00
Jackson, W. S.	S. W. corner of P. A. Grant, 9-9-10.	1.70	2.00
Morrell, Elmer.	S. E. corner of P. A. Grant, 14-8-4.	1.02	2.00
Falkland, Elmer.	Chas. Judd's farm, 10-8-40.	9.52	2.00
	West end of 11-8-30.	2.55	2.00
Richardson, F. H. S.	Camp on shore of Hek's Pond.	\$1.00	2.00
King, C. F.	S. W. part of P. A. Grant, 6-8-26.	3.40	2.00
Webster, C. B.	S. W. corner of 10-8-10.	2.55	2.00
Whitman, C. R.	G. G. Corwell farm, 7-4-30.	8.50	2.00
	N. half of W. 1-2 of 7-4-30.	1.70	2.00
Deutsche, Edith E.	Annie Henry farm, 7-3-100.	30.50	2.00
John, Frances.	Camp lot, 7-3-10.	.50	2.00
Mason, P. E.	Stand and land near R. R. crossing.	12.00	2.00
Smith, H. B. & Co.	Storehouse at Locks' Mills station.	2.55	2.00

December 17, 1913.

J. F. HARRINGTON,
Collector of Taxes of the Town of Greenwood.

COLLECTOR'S ADVERTISEMENT OF SALE OF LANDS OF NON-RESIDENT OWNERS.

STATE OF MAINE.

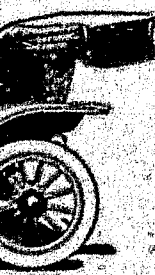
Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the Town of Mason, in the County of Oxford, for the year 1912.

The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the Town of Mason, for the year 1912, committed to me for collection for said Town on the 21st day of May 1913, remains unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes with interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold without further notice at public auction at the Town House in said Town, on the first Monday in February, 1914, at nine o'clock A. M.

Name of Owner	Description of Property	Amt. tax	Charges
Frank Farwell Estate.	Lot 1, Range 6, 20 acres.	\$2.14	\$2.00
J. Bartlett.	Lot 1, Range 13, 55 acres.	1.55	2.00
	Lot 3, Range 13, 76 acres.	4.71	2.00
	Lot 2, Range 13, 100 acres.	5.25	2.00

December 16, 1913.

F. L. BEAN,
Collector of Taxes of the Town of Mason.



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Bethel, Maine.

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A. ROBERTS,
Commissioner of Agriculture.

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Mary-Garion Foster.

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9-10,	1.70	2.00
4-5-5,	1.02	2.00
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	2.55	2.00
1,	5.10	2.00
2-25,	3.40	2.00
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	6.30	2.00
	1.70	2.00
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the Town of Greenwood

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Amt. tax		Charge
\$2.14	\$2.00	
1.50	2.00	
4.71	2.00	
2.55	2.00	

of the Town of Green